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TO AMEMBASSY KABUL

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FOR AMBASSADOR FROM CONSTABLE

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: MASS, AF

SUBJECT: MAP TRAINING PROGRAM

REF: KABUL 0689

1. WE HAVE SENT A MEMO TO DOD SUPPORTING YOUR REQUEST FOR THE MAINTENANCE OF CURRENT MAP PROGRAM LEVEL. GIVEN THE BUDGET PICTURE, HOWEVER, I AM NOT AT ALL CONFIDENT THAT WE WILL BE ABLE TO GET ANY MORE MONEY FOR THE KABUL PROGRAM. IT WAS SOMETHING OF A FIGHT TO KEEP THE FUNDING LEVEL AT THE SAME POINT AS LAST YEAR.

2. IF WE ARE UNABLE TO SECURE ADDITIONAL FUNDS I WONDER WHETHER IT MIGHT BE POSSIBLE TO TAKE SOME STEPS IN KABUL WHICH COULD STRETCH OUR AVAILABLE DOLLARS. SPECIFICALLY, WE COULD ATTEMPT TO UPGRADE THE LANGUAGE CAPABILITIES OF THE OFFICERS SELECTED IN ORDER TO REDUCE THE NUMBER WHO MUST ATTEND ENGLISH CLASSES BEFORE GOING ON TO MORE SUBSTANTIVE WORK. ALSO, WE MIGHT CONSIDER STEERING AFGHAN OFFICERS TOWARDS SHORTER COURSES WHICH, PRESUMABLY, WOULD BE LESS EXPENSIVE.

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3. FINALLY, YOU MAY WISH TO EXPLORE WITH THE GOA WHETHER

THEY WOULD BE WILLING TO FUND THE TRAINING OF SOME OF  
THEIR OWN STUDENTS. THE AFGHAN GOVERNMENT'S INTEREST IN  
DIVERSIFYING THEIR TRAINING SOURCES MIGHT MAKE THEM  
WILLING TO SPEND SOME MONEY FOR THIS PURPOSE. KISSINGER

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